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G.O. No. 9

Dated 17-1-48

[Despatch Abstract.]

PROHIBITION : AMELIORATION : MAGIC LANTERN PURCHASE OF SANCTIONED.

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BOARD OF REVENUE (EXCISE) DEPARTMENT.

PROHIBION - Amelioration - Magic lantern - Supply - Requested.

ReadL G.O. No. 1943 Rev. dated the 14th August 1948.

Station,Triplicane,Madras.5. C.R.No.8240/47.H1 Dated 16th December 1947

From

Md. Munzoor Husain KhanSahib Bahadur, B.A.,(Hons).,
Assistant Secretary, Board of Revenue (Excise)

V.N. Kudva, Esq., C.I.E., I.C.S.,
Member, Board of Revenue and Commissioner of Land Revenue,
Excise and Prohibition.

REFERENCE:

The progapanda vans in the prohibiion districts are not equipped with magic lanters in many cases and even where they have they are not in good working orders. InG.O. No. 1943 Rev.. dated 14th August 1947 Government have sanctioneda sum of Rs. 5,000 for preparation of prohibition slides. In the absence of good magic lanters, it may not be possible to exhibit the slides. It is therefore necessary that all the propaganda vans should be equipped with magic lanters. The cost of a good magic lantern,. as acertained from Messrs. Adair, Dutt and Co., Ltd., Madras, comes to about Rs. 1,210. If all the 16 vans in the prohibition districts are to be provided with new magic lanters, the expenditure may come to about Rs. 20,000. Considering the expenditure, which the proposal would involve, it seems that one magic lantern may be purchased for the present and kept at the disposal of the Deputy Commissioner, Prohibition (Amelioration). This can be taken out during his tours in the prohibition districts and made use of by exhibiting the photos and slides prepared by the Photographer. The magic lantern shown will provide adequate entertainment to the ex-addicts in particular and the villagers in general. In Reference No.9239-47.H1 proposals have separately been submitted for utilising a portion of the amount allotted for preparation of magic lantern slides towards the purchase of films. It may not be possible to appropriate any further amount from this head. The Board, therefore, requests that Government may be pleased to sanction a sum of Rs- 1,500 for the purchase of a magic lantern. When the purchase is made, the prevailing prices will be ascertained and the purchase effected from a company which offers most favourable terms. The Board requests early orders.

Sd/. Assistant Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort St.George,
Madras.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
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PROHIBITION - Amelioration - Magic Lanterns - Purchase of - Sanctioned

Revenue Department

G.O. (Ms) No. 93. Dated, the 17th January 1948
READ - the following:

G.O. (Ms) No. 1943 Rev. dated 14th August 1947
From the Board of Revenue, Ref:C.R.No.9240/47-H1
dated the 16th December 1947

ORDER:

In the circumstances stated in the Board's reference cited, sanction is accorded for the purchase of a magic lantern at a cost not exceeding Rs. 1,500 (one thousand and five hundred only) for use in the propaganda vans in the prohibition districts.

2. The magic lantern should be kept at the disposal of the Deputy Commissioner of Prohibition (Amelioration) for being taken out during his tours in the Prohibition districts.

3. The expenditure should be debited to "25. General Administration - W. Miscellaneous - C. Rural Recreation Scheme - (i) Prohibition districts."

(By order of His Excellency the Governor)

P.S. VISWANATHA AYYAR
Joint Secretary to Government

To the Board of Revenue (Excise),
To the Accountant-General, through Finance
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